

Hopkinsville Kentuckian.

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HOPKINSVILLE, KENTUCKY.

A live and growing city of 8,500 inhabitants, situated in a county of 40,000. The Louisville and Nashville has two lines of railroad in the county and the people have recently voted to build new roads. Largest tobacco growing county in the world. Wheat, corn, hay, coal, live stock and fruits produced for export in large quantities. The city has four banks with an aggregate capital of \$450,000. A planing mill and wagon factory, three carriage factories, lime factory, tobacco manufactory, two foundries, three brick yards, iron factory, steam laundry, ice factory, two large flouring mills in the city and several in the county. Splendid driving park and fine opera house. Five turnpikes centering in Hopkinsville. Building and Loan Association, Commercial Club, a telephone exchange, numerous streets and houses and city lighted by gas. Macadamized streets and brick sidewalks all over the city. Eleven churches, two colleges, a high school and the finest system of public schools, white and colored, in the State. Western Kentucky Lunatic Asylum with a population of 650, two miles east of the city. A \$100,000 court house with town clock in the dome. A fine fire department and a company of State Guards. Little River furnishes an adequate supply of water for all purposes. Real estate low and rents cheap. Fine opening for woolen mill, pork packing establishment, fruit cannery, tannery and many other enterprises. Climate mild and invigorating and exceedingly healthful.

Perhaps President Hamner, of Switzerland, could give Gen. Harrison some points about cabinet-making.

A washboard trust has been formed but trust on another kind of board would get closer to the hearts of the vox populi.

The Chesapeake & Ohio Railroad has been mortgaged to the Central Mortgage Company, of New York, for \$300,000.

The House passed the "Omni-bus Bill" Friday, providing for the admission of five new States. It will now go to the Senate.

Senator Blair's "Sunday Rest Bill," is one of considerable importance, but what the country really wants to be given is a rest on cabinet speculation.

A thousand cigar-makers have struck at New York on account of a cut in their wages, made a year and a half ago. The leaders must "draw" better than their wares, to get so many to follow them.

You had better examine any old trunk you have about the house. \$100,000 in greenbacks and bonds was found in an old trunk at New Orleans the other day, which had been the property of a miser.

The Clarksville Chronicle has enlarged to seven columns and the Progress promises to do likewise in a few days. These two sprightly dailies are just now engaged in the foolish undertaking of cutting and slashing at each other's vital organs, which may result in the annihilation of both of them.

What does the Hon. Jim McKenzie want and when is he going to ask for it? Kentucky would like to do something handsome for him, but he must do the selecting.—Louisville Commercial.

Perhaps at the proper time he will make his wants known, whatever they may be.

The editor of the Frankfort Capital is publishing a series of answers by prominent persons to the question: "What is the best thing you ever read." As our question has not come to hand, it has probably been lost in the mails. However, we do not remember to have ever read anything that made a better impression on us than the simple inscription: "Dear Sir—Enclosed find \$2.00, for which please send me the KENTUCKIAN for another year."

The merchants are all pleased with the business outlook and satisfied with the season's business. Hopkinsville has never done such a winter trade before, although the weather has been unusually mild for winter goods. One firm that brought on 900 overcoats has sold over 800 of them and nearly all merchants who have advertised their goods have had a good trade. Times are getting decidedly better and 1889 is going to be a prosperous year all round if the signs are not misleading. Just be a little patient, the boom is coming.

The Hurricane precinct of Crittenden county had an election on the 16th on a proposition to vote \$10,000 to the capital stock of the Princeton, Marion & Ohio River Railroad. It was one of the closest and most hotly contested elections ever held in the Purchase, and resulted in a victory for the railroad then by 3 majority. The road is part of the Cairo short line system. It will be controlled by that road when built. The scheme is to connect with the O. V. at Princeton, giving St. Louis and Cairo an air line route to the Southern cities.

The Cadiz Telephone suggests Mr. J. D. Shaw, of that place, as a suitable and prospective candidate for clerk of the Court of Appeals. Mr. Shaw has had many years experience in this kind of work and is fitted in every way for the proper discharge of the duties of the office to which he will probably aspire. His moral character and personal habits are above approach and this fact is going the cut a big figure in the next convention. The people are not going to tolerate any more Tomahawkism in state offices. Mr. Shaw is a gentleman in every sense of the word, has always made a good officer and is just the kind of man to be nominated next year.

A Railroad Man at Pembroke.

A correspondent at Pembroke, Ky., contributes a very readable article to the Clarksville Progress of the 18th inst. over the signature of "Pembroke." It is hard to tell exactly where to class "Pembroke" as a writer. He seems to be a cross between a humorist and a boomer. He appears to be an ardent railroad man and shows a lively interest in the matter of building up Clarksville at the expense of his own home interests. Here is the way he begins:

"The Cairo & Cumberland Gap railroad is in course of construction, commencing at Cairo, on the Mississippi, connecting with north, south, east and west roads at that point, coming up the Tennessee and Cumberland river valley, tapping coal and iron fields to Hopkinsville, Ky. Christian county has subscribed \$200,000 to that enterprise. It remains for Clarksville, by proper encouragement, to direct that road back to the Cumberland river valley. The road will come up the Russellville road five miles, and can then cross to Pembroke, which with its three large steamers and one large factory for chewing and smoking tobacco, and two flouring mills can easily be induced to give \$25,000 to get the road to cross the L. & N. there. The road will then go down the rich valley of West Fork to Clarksville, up East Cumberland valley to Ashland City and Nashville, thence up the Cumberland valley to Cumberland Gap."

Growing more eloquent as he proceeds he declares:

"Clarksville should with this road, be the rival of Louisville in the tobacco trade, and should ultimately control all tobacco known as Clarksville's and raised from the mouth of the Cumberland to its source. This road if directed to Clarksville should double its population and manufacturing facilities in ten years."

Then he turns with mingled alarm and hope to another phase of the subject:

"It will break up all railroad monopolies, giving her independent connection at Nashville with the south and east and at Cairo with north and west road tapping every north and south road from Mississippi to the blue ridge. With this road it will tap all the coal, iron, lumber and agricultural products of the Cumberland valley. It is now at the mercy of the L. & N. road. * * * If this road keeps in the Kentucky counties, Clarksville will be irretrievably injured."

"Pembroke" fails to remember that these advantages have already been contracted for and in the following paragraph proposes to deliver his own people into the hands of the Philistines:

"Hopkinsville sees the point and made in the contract with the O. V. road that it shall not go to Clarksville. The same contract does not exist in the other road. Pembroke stands ready to contribute enough to turn the road to Clarksville if Clarksville will put forth her hand."

He then pictures in rosy colors the advantages to Clarksville:

"Her schools will be doubled by the increase of population. This road will add 20 percent to real estate in five years. It will double its population in ten years. It will double its schools, its commerce, its wholesale and retail trade and give it control of the tobacco trade, which it has held heretofore against heavy odds, or will build up a large wholesale trade for Clarksville."

Then summoning all his eloquence "Pembroke" closes with this impassioned appeal:

"Will you not call a meeting of the citizens and appoint a committee to report on this project. Hopkinsville gave 1,800 majority to the county vote for a subsidy for \$200,000. Clarksville has but to put forth her hand and reap the benefit of this liberal donation at Hopkinsville. Clarksville will have independent connection through the O. V. with Evansville up the Ohio. She will have all the communications needed and will be a railroad center, with a strong east and west road crossing and north and south road with her improving river connection, always controlling rates. What says Clarksville? It is now or never. Sink or swim. Live or die."

The last paragraph is especially good and further comment is unnecessary.

A number of enterprising citizens of Owensboro are preparing to organize a building and loan association. Hopkinsville, which generally leads all other western Kentucky towns in the way of progress, has had an association of this kind for a number of years and it has been not only a profitable investment, but a blessing to scores of poor men who have paid for nice and comfortable homes with monthly payments that formerly went for rent. Under the plan operated here, it takes about five and a half years for a poor man to pay for his home and be free from rent the balance of his days. No one thing save our superior public schools has done more to bring Hopkinsville to the front than our well conducted building and loan association.

Mrs. Elizabeth Selby, of Columbia Mo., has brought suit at Russellville, for \$15,000 worth of property, the estate of David S. Ricketts, supposed to have been her illegitimate son. The claim is contested by the brothers and sisters of Ricketts who claim he was their parents legitimate child and that Mrs. Selby is an impostor.

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And the fire burned with a brighter flame;
But soon old Burrell turned his face
And sat with a smile stepped into his place;
Add this the winter is passing by,
With pleasant weather and sunny sky.

PERSONAL GOSSIP.

Mrs. Clarence Anderson has gone to Princeton.
W. G. Orr, of Trenton, spent Sunday in the city with his parents.
Miss Jennie Cabines, Trenton, arrived Saturday on a visit to Prof. Rust's family.
Mr. and Mrs. I. Burnett and little daughter Richie, have gone to Paducah on a visit.
Mrs. J. O. Cooper has returned from a visit to her sister, Mrs. J. H. Cooper, in the city.
Mrs. Mary Walker returned to her home in Louisville Saturday, after a pleasant visit to Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Cooper.
Miss Annie Jones, who has been visiting friends in Hopkinsville, returned Thursday morning—Pembroke Criticism.
Rev. J. W. Lewis returned Saturday from Bowling Green, where he had been asisting his brother in a protracted meeting.
J. H. Hopkins, Special Agent of the Masonic Mutual B. N. E. S. of Indiana, spent Sunday in the city and left for Memphis yesterday.
Mrs. W. T. T. and daughter, Miss Mary, accompanied by Miss Anne Trice, left on the early train this morning for Lake Weir, Fla., to remain for about two months.
At the Phoenix—Sunday: P. T. Whiting, Boston; R. P. Drake, Manassas, Monday; Mrs. Hoffman, H. H. Hettler, Cincinnati; Jno. Crutcher, Nashville; A. B. Hottel, Cincinnati.
Mr. D. L. Kennedy left for Oxford, Miss., last Friday, to visit his daughters who hold important positions in the Oxford Female College. After a short visit to them he will go to Florence, Ala., where he will remain some time.

CREAM OF THE NEWS.

A Coal Stealer.

The following item is from the Hecla correspondence of the Henderson Gleaner: 'The miners of this place have been in an uproar for the past few days. A negro was caught stealing coal last Saturday morning by taking the small metal checks, containing several different numbers, and placing his own numbers on the cars that other miners had mined and loaded with coal. About thirty of the miners gathered together and appointed committees. Some were in favor of making him a present of about fifty lashes, but declined the idea until to-night. It has been reported that about twenty of the miners were at the house where the negro had been staying, but he was too sharp for them and had gone. I suppose if the miners could have found him, a rope would have been the next thing they would have been hunting for. The negro's name is Will Caruthers; he is about five feet ten inches high and will weigh about 160 pounds. All miners are advised to look out for him.'

A Probable Murder.

At Earlston Saturday morning about 9:30, as John Hodge and Thomas Judd, two coke burners, were at work at the coke ovens, a dispute arose about their work and Hodge, who was on the lower platform of the ovens, went around to the upper platform, and, seizing a heavy billet of wood, struck Judd a tremendous blow on the head, felling him to the ground. The would-be murderer then made his escape, but was pursued by Police Judge Head and captured three miles south of town and returned to jail. Judd, who had married less than a month ago, is lying in a precarious condition and is not expected to live.

The Very Latest.

Work has been suspended temporarily on the O. V. Extension South from this place to Hopkinsville. The work was under charge of Mr. Ross Baker, of this place, who only worked a small force of hands and completed the grading about 500 feet South of the N. N. & M. V. as far as the line has been located. It is said that work will be resumed in earnest in a short while.—Princeton Banner

Horses for the City.

The city has purchased two magnificent draught-horses, from Means & Well, of Louisville, for use in city work and by the fire department. They are blood bays, young and well trained and weigh 1500 pounds each. The price paid was \$450 for the pair. They were shipped from Louisville yesterday and will arrive to-day or to-morrow.

A Sunday Robbery.

Some thief entered the store of Max Solomon & Co., Sunday afternoon, by lowering one of the back windows, and emptied the cash drawers of their contents, about \$5 in silver, nickels, and coppers. They left without molesting anything else. It is thought the thief has been spotted and will in all probability be captured.

Accidentally Shot.

A young man named White, a son of H. C. White, shot himself in the arm while hunting near Trenton last week. In getting over a fence the hammer of his gun caught and the weapon was discharged. The wound was a very dangerous one and the young man was in a critical condition at last accounts.

Slaughter House Burned.

The slaughter house of Drexler & Boales, just beyond the city limits on the Clarksville pike, was burned Friday night, inflicting upon the owners a loss of \$300. It is not known how the fire originated.

Thrown From A Horse.

Frank White, of Lafayette, was thrown from a horse Thursday and had his right arm broken in two places. It is thought that amputation will be necessary.

THIS AND THAT.

Rogers & Davis' livery stable, Fritz's old stand.
Go to A G Bush for boots and shoes and save money.
Paper sacks for putting up hams for sale at this office, at from 1 1/4 to 3 cents each.

Hervey Bowling and Miss Ruth Bigbee, of Guthrie, eloped to Tennessee and were married on the 16th inst.
Two Italian musicians with a bagpipe and flute took in the town Saturday and drew a crowd wherever they made a stop.

John White and R. bert L. Boyd were up in Esq. Tinsley's court Friday for fighting. Small fines were assessed against both of them.

Geo. Walker, was appointed policeman, yesterday, to serve in the place of O. A. West who is off duty for a few days for the purpose of moving his family from Crofton to this city.

Robt. Hooten, a young Englishman who accidentally shot himself Thanksgiving day, while hunting near Clarksville, had to have his arm amputated at the shoulder last week and his recovery is very doubtful.

Miss Emma Green, of Mayfield, and Miss Fannie Bassett, of Providence, entered Bethel Female College as boarding pupils last week. The Lotus Literary Society is to discuss the works of Holmes next Friday evening.

The four police officers now put in all of their time in the day and two of them stay up every other night. They are making most excellent officers but are over-worked. The Council will be asked to put on a night policeman, at the next meeting. This will probably be done by reducing the pay of other officers, who are paid too high salaries.

Prof. M. L. Lescumb, who recently declined to accept the offer of a professorship in a Columbia, Mo., college, has reconsidered his decision in the matter and left last week for his new post of duty. As we have had occasion to say before, the KENTUCKIAN regrets very much to have so estimable a gentleman and competent instructor leave Hopkinsville, though his best wishes attend him wherever he may go.

Mr. Geo. E. Gary, formerly connected with the business department of the KENTUCKIAN, but for the last several years with the Bowling Green branch of Forbes & Bro., has associated himself with the Bridges-McDowell Co., of Louisville, wholesale dealers in paints, oils, varnishes, etc. This firm is a new one and is composed of young men, some of whom are well known to the business men of this city. We wish Mr. Gary well wherever his line may fall.

Messrs. M. S. Gregg & Bro., proprietors of the Barnett House, Louisville, insert a card in this issue. These gentlemen have recently formed a partnership and bought the hotel from the former proprietor, Mr. I. M. Hughes, and will conduct the business in future. This house already has a large patronage worked up and under the supervision of these gentlemen will doubtless largely increase its business. Don't forget the location, S. E. Cor. 9th and Broadway.

See the advertisement of Messrs. F. Curran & Co., wholesale liquor dealers, Louisville, which appears in this issue. This substantial firm handles nothing but the very best grades of liquors and can be relied upon when orders for such goods are sent them. They handle the celebrated Brehman whisky which gives such general satisfaction, being the sole agents for that brand in that city. Send your orders to them at No. 212, First street, and they will receive prompt attention.

Prof. Hawes arrived on the 1 o'clock train Friday morning, visited Bethel Female College, delighted the young ladies with a brief address, dined with Prof. Rust and was entertained by Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Buckner till the early train Saturday morning, when he returned to Louisville, having made a good impression upon all who heard his lecture at night. He has the reputation of being one of the best teachers of elocution in the country and his connection with the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary would seem to prove it.

The tete-a-tete (tate-a-tate) social residence of Mr. Feland Friday evening was a novel and very enjoyable affair. A tablet with a list of the subjects for discussion was given to each one and "partners" were engaged for each of the nine topics, discussion being limited to five minutes. The attendance was large and the young people were much pleased with the evening's entertainment. It was given by the Young Women's Christian Temperance Union and an admission charge of ten cents was charged.

We wish to call attention to the extensive advertisement of Forbes & Bro. in this issue, they are receiving daily car load after car load of seeds, implements, barbed wire, huggies, harness, etc. They now have three immense warehouses with a floor space of over 50,000 square feet and they are all full. Their stock in all lines is complete and much larger than ever before. The farmers can get anything they need and have a more complete assortment to select from than elsewhere; they represent and sell nothing but first class goods and the leading implements, and they keep a full line of repairs for their implements. The goods are all bought at the lowest market price and will be sold at bottom prices.

THE EXCHANGE.

Official Report of the Recent Meeting of the Tobacco Board of Trade.
At a call meeting of the tobacco board of trade, representing the buying and selling interests of the market, it was unanimously and enthusiastically agreed that the importance and permanency of the trade as well as the best interest of the market and the city and all concerned, that the board of trade, as a board and as citizens, looking to the best interest of the market and the city, as the center of a large interest, take steps at once toward the erection of a tobacco exchange and board of trade building, which will do credit to the trade and the city.

It was resolved and unanimously carried, that a committee of six, composed of three warehousemen and three buyers be appointed by the board to look into the matter of securing a permanent and suitable site, adjacent or near to the business center and to price same. Also to solicit plans and specifications for a building to cost from fifteen to twenty thousand dollars, ground included, also to canvass the business community and ask their aid in the enterprise.

It is the sense of this meeting that a handsome and convenient exchange building will add very materially to the interest of the market, and will be a source of permanent increase and comfort for the future, and as our trade is now, and will be for ages to come, direct with Europe, the purpose is to show an enterprising spirit in making a permanency of it and we propose to make such a building as will be an ornament to the city and useful in every respect.

It was also moved and unanimously carried that the Commercial Club of Hopkinsville be asked to co-operate and assist us in the venture, and with their assistance we see no cause for failure.

It was furthermore agreed that the tobacco board build and equip the building within themselves. The committee was composed of the following buyers and warehousemen: Buyers, C. F. Jarrett, W. A. Lowry, J. D. Ware; Warehousemen, F. W. Dabney, H. H. Abernathy, W. G. Wheeler.

The committee was instructed to make report of their progress at the Regular meeting February 6th. M. H. Tandy, Sec'y. protom.

SILVER WEDDING.

The 25th Anniversary of the Marriage of Mr. and Mrs. Lyman McCombs.

The Pembroke Criticism gives this account of an affair at Pembroke of which the KENTUCKIAN could get but a meagre report at the time:

"One of the most enjoyable occasions that has ever been the lot of the silver wedding reception at Mr. and Mrs. Lyman McCombs' on the 12th inst. A more beautiful day could not have been selected, and we thought as we looked at the bride and groom of twenty-five winters now like the day had been their lives—so comparatively free from clouds and tempests, and how lightly the years had dealt with them. The guests began to arrive about 1 o'clock and were received by Miss Daisy McCombs, who did the honors of the occasion with great credit. Her three handsome brothers with each other in their untiring attentions to the wants, pleasure and entertainment of those present. Several delightful hours were spent in the beautifully decorated parlors and when the order was given to march the doors were thrown open and we repaired to the spacious dining-room where such a vision of good things met our eyes as has seldom been our pleasure to witness. The beautiful china and silver were almost eclipsed by the equally elegant array of delicious cakes, and in fact, everything that would please the eye and tempt the appetite. After many beautiful congratulations and good wishes to our genial host and hostess, we departed to our several homes, all feeling that a more delightful afternoon had never been spent. We sincerely wish the happy couple may live to celebrate their golden wedding with their large family circle unbroken."

THE PRESENTS.

Push clock, Lyman McCombs; hanging lamp, Susie and Barret McCombs; pickle stand, S. W. McCombs; set drawn linen napkins, Miss Daisy McCombs; berry bowl, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Woodridge; set of china, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Carter; carving set, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Williams; carving set, Capt. and Mrs. C. D. Bell; one dozen knives, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Jarrett; half dozen knives, R. C. Chil-ton; ladle, J. S. Parrish; berry bowl, Col. and Mrs. T. P. Burke; lamp, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Johnson; lamp, J. C. Durrett; handsome bric-a-brac, Mrs. and Miss Tyler; handsome bric-a-brac, Mr. and Mrs. Pow. Woodridge; berry spoon, H. W. Barrett; teapot, Miss Julia Barrett; gravy ladle, Mrs. Sammie Holloway; fruit spoon, Mrs. F. B. Richardson; fruit spoon, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Galtier; berry spoon, Mr. and Mrs. Ike Garrett; pickle knife, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Garrett; ice cream knife, Mr. and Miss Johnson; thimble, Miss Kristie Johnson; thimble, Miss Landerman; napkin ring, Miss Landerman; napkin ring, Mrs. S. Darnall; two napkin rings, Mr. and Miss Carmel; butter knife, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. E. Bailey; fish knife, J. T. Oweley; preserve stand, A. S. Trumble; salt and pepper stand, T. H. Corbin; molasses stand, W. B. Kugler; two sugar spoons, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Kendrick; sugar bowl, Mr. and Mrs. Austin Peay; set of tea spoons, E. Perkins; set of 10 ks Mrs. A. Holland; cake basket, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Jones; card basket, Mr. Garth and Miss Lockett; basket of flowers, J. J. Crisman; pickle stand, Jno. C. Willis.

As it was a "silver wedding" of course the presents were, with but few exceptions, of silver.

BACK TO EARTH.

Those Woe Bodies Have Been Given Back to Mother Earth.
An infant child of W. H. Charlton, of the Antioch neighborhood, died Friday.

Within the last two weeks three patients have died at the Asylum. A man named Comar, who had been there for 30 years, another named Bray, from Grayson county, and the third a man named Donaldson, who died Sunday.

Mrs. A. J. Tillman died Friday evening at her home on the Newstead pike two miles from the city. She was about 73 years of age. Her funeral was preached at Goshen near Fairview, by Rev. H. F. Parry and the remains interred at the family graveyard near that place.

Little Lola Long Calhoun, the three-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Calhoun, died in this city at 10 o'clock on the 17th inst. of convulsions. The funeral was preached at the residence on Seventh street, at 3:30 p. m. Friday, by Rev. H. A. Macdonald, of the Christian Church. Interment in the City Cemetery.

Mrs. Sallie Jesup died at the residence of her son, W. H. Jesup, near Fairview, in Todd county, Saturday night, the 19th inst., aged 76 years. Her death was the result of an attack of pneumonia, from which she had been suffering for several days. Arrangements were made for burying the body Sunday afternoon, but as her hands were still warm eighteen hours after death, the interment was postponed until yesterday. Mrs. Jesup was a most estimable lady and her death is deeply mourned by a large circle of relatives and friends.

COLORED.

An infant of Lawis Willie, this city, Sunday. Four months old.

An infant of Dick Wadlington, in this city, Sunday, aged 2 1/2 years.

An infant of Zach M. Jor, in this city, Sunday. Aged 1 1/2 years.

The wife of Ambrose Watkins, Saturday, at P. H. Major's, near Bever-ly.

THE O. V. SURVEYS.

The second survey of the O. V. route from Princeton to this city was completed Saturday. The line does not vary much from the first. It passes a little nearer to Bellview, still running through what is known as the Higgins bottom; then through the lands of Lee Wood, F. H. Runshaw and others as before. It runs diagonally across M. D. Meacham's farm two miles from town, and from W. J. Withers place two surveys were made into the city. One runs north of the Driving Park and around the northern end of town. The other crosses the Princeton pike near the toll-gate, runs toward the south, crosses the river west of the High School building, crosses the Newstead pike near the toll gate and then runs back at the city limits. It is not known yet which route will be selected. A depot site will be located on the Princeton pike on the lands of W. J. Withers, but this question will be considered later on.

The engineers returned to Henderson yesterday and the first Monday in February will again go to Princeton and begin locating and securing the right of way as they come. The graders will follow them as rapidly as possible with a large force of workmen.

AMUSEMENTS.

'Pete Baker,' the famous German comedian, was the attraction last night.

Walter S. Mathews, a young man who was born in this city, made his debut as a tragedian in Louisville last week and will be here in about ten days.

Madame and Augustine Neuville will present their great spectacular and scenic success, 'The Boy Tramp' on the 28th inst. It will undoubtedly be a show of great merit.

Ahi There Whit.

W. W. Radford, of Howell, Ky., and Miss Nannie Allen, of this county, a well known and popular couple, were married at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Manson, at Nashville, Tuesday, January 15. The ceremony was said by Dr. C. H. Strickland. The happy pair returned the same evening to Clarksville and left Wednesday morning for their future home at Howell. This wedding, though not regarded as an improbable event, took their friends by surprise, as only a select few were in the secret. Congratulations are in order and the Leaf offers its best wishes for a future life of happiness and prosperity for Mr. and Mrs. Radford.—Clarksville Tobacco Leaf.

CITY COURT NEWS.

Only One Arrest Since Our Last Issue.
James Bradley, drunkenness. Fined \$5 and costs.

Judge Brasher reports business in this line distressing quiet, while Chief Campbell is much pleased with the outlook.

SPECIAL LOCALS.

THE FARMERS BOY



It is a shame for you country natives to let a good friend pass without looking at his great bargains. MAX MENDEL.

SPECIAL LOCALS.

Corn! Tomatoes!
\$1.00 PER DOZEN

At C. McKEE & CO'S, The Grocers.
THESE GOODS ARE GUARANTEED BY US

W. E. OLNEY, 'THE JEWELER.'
Has located in Buckner Leavelle's Drug Store where he would be pleased to have a continuance of the public patronage so liberally extended him in the past. Repairing a specialty.

TO CLOSE.
40 Childrens Knee Pants suits worth \$4.00 down to \$3.00 at Glass Corner.
J. H. Anderson & Co.

Fine Timothy Hay for sale. Apply at Hopper Bros.

FOR RENT.
The farm owned by R. P. Owsley, and on which the late W. N. Childress lived last year. For terms apply to R. P. Owsley, P. O. Hopkinsville or Beverly.

Mens fine fur caps worth \$1.25 down to 65c at
J. H. Anderson & Co.

Just rec'd the largest and best stock of Stationery ever brought to the city.
Wyly & Burnett.

Mark down prices on all winter goods to clean out before spring comes at J. H. Anderson & Co.

FOR RENT
A new cottage to let on Bryan St Price \$10 per month. Apply to
J. H. DAGG.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became a Woman, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

Pocket Books, Memoranda Books and the prettiest lot of Toilet Articles just in at
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FITS.—All Fits stopped free by Dr. Kline's Great Nerve Restorer. No Fit after first day's use. Marvellous cures. Treatise and \$2 trial bottle free to all. Send to Dr. Kline, 363 Arch St., Phila., Pa.

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Ounces—12 pounds of the finest Granulated Sugar for \$1.00 at CHAS McKEE & CO'S, THE GROCERS.

LAST NOTICE.
Parties knowing themselves indebted to me must come forward and settle their accounts at once, or they will be placed in the hands of an officer for collection. I am in need of money and am forced to make this positive request. Those who settle with me soon will save costs.
JARED HAWKINS.

OPERA HOUSE, JAN. 28 MONDAY.

MADAM AND AUGUSTINE NEUVILLE
In their Great Spectacular and Scenic Success
The Boy Tramp

PRICES: Reserved Seats, 25 and 50c. According to location, Gallery, - 25c
Seats at Galbreath's.
WALTER S. MATHEWS.

HOPKINSVILLE EMPLOYMENT AGENCY.
I have opened an Employment Agency on 7th Street. Office over Brent & Padon's. Situations found and help secured. R. N. LANDER.

M. S. GREGG, W. R. GREGG.
Burnett House,
M. S. GREGG & BRO., Proprietors.
S. E. CORNER NINTH AND BROADWAY,
2 Squares from L. & N. Depot,
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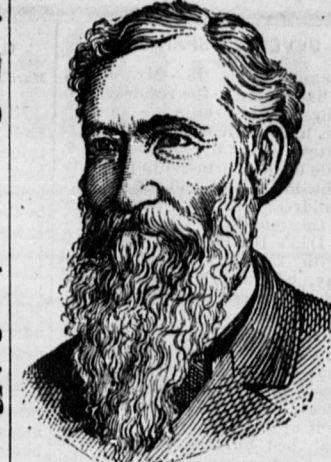
Street Cars run to all points in the city.

Fine Liquors, Cigars & Tobacco.
Jan. 22 '89

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Jan. 22 '89



DR. T. W. FORSHEE,
The Renowned Specialist and Surgeon of the Coffee Medical Institute,

No. 57 1/2 Ave. LOUISVILLE, KY.
Will visit Hopkinsville at the PHOENIX HOTEL, SATURDAY, Feb. 2nd, from 9 A. M. to 5 P. M. ONE DAY ONLY, and return every four weeks this year.

DR. FORSHEE was a Surgeon in the late war, and has devoted his life to the study of Diseases of Women and the Rectum and Deformities. He comes prepared to perform any operation.
Treats all curable medical and surgical diseases. Cures any tumor without Knife or Trauma in 10 to 30 days.

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Diseases of the Eye, Ear, Nose, Throat and Lungs, D. S. S. Bright's Disease, Diabetes, Kidney, Liver, Bladder, Chronic and Female Sexual Diseases.

Epilepsy or Fits Cured.
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Suffering from Seminal Emission from errors in youth, or excessive in mature life, and other causes, producing some of the following effects: Debility, nervousness, dizziness, confusion of ideas, aversion to society, defective memory and exhaustion, which until the victim for business or marriage, are permanently cured by remedies not injurious.

BLOOD AND SKIN DISEASES.
Syphilis, and complications, as sore throat, falling of hair, pain in the bones, eruptions, etc., are perfectly eradicated without using mercury or other injurious drugs. GONORRHOEA, Gleet, Stricture and Urinary and Kidney troubles are a specialty cured by treatment that has never failed.
He undertakes no incurable diseases, but cures thousands given up to die.
Remember the date and come early, as his rooms are always crowded whenever he stops. Consultation free. Correspondence solicited and confidential. Address
T. W. FORSHEE, M. D.,
408 5th Ave. LOUISVILLE, KY.
Dec. 31st '88

WANTED
Agents in every Town and County to sell our Goods. Send us ONE DOLLAR, and we will send you sample that sells for three Dollars, and start you in a business that will pay you from \$100 to \$200 per month.
Address
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Jan 22 '89 RHIMOND, VA.

HENRY J. STITES,
ATTORNEY AT LAW
HOPKINSVILLE, KY.

STRAY.
Taken up Saturday by A. J. Gregory, living near Church Hill, Ky., on the Cox & Mill Road about 8 miles south of Hopkinsville, One brown cow aged about five years and appraised at ten dollars. Witness my hand and seal this 15th of Jan. 1889.
S. B. YOUNGLOVE, J. P. C. C.

STATEMENT
OF THE
METCALFE MANUFACTURING COMPANY
JANUARY 14th, 1889.

ASSETS.	
Original cost of real estate	\$ 6,000 00
Improvements on same '87 and '88	830 00
U. S. Bonds, 1st. 1st. 1st.	2,500 00
Cash Notes	1,494 12
Accounts receivable	1,000 00
Stocks paid up	5,200 00
Dividend on hand Jan. 1st, 1889	585 41
	\$48,902 12
LIABILITIES.	
Capital Stock	\$12,000 00
Due on real estate	5,000 00
Interest on 2 1/2% 1st. 1st. 1st.	150 00
Notes on the company	5,772 27
Due on Commercial indebtedness	1,200 00
Dividend on hand Jan. 1st, '88	7,191 81
	\$41,912 18
Sworn and subscribed to before me by C. W. Metcalfe, Vice President and business manager, and A. H. Hilde, Secretary and Treasurer, this 14th day of January, 1889.	
WALTER KELLY, Notary Public.	

STATEMENT
OF THE
CITY BANK
At the close of Business,
OF HOPKINSVILLE, KY.
DECEMBER 31st, 1888.

RESOURCES.	
Notes and Bills Discounted	\$151,510 21
Debit in suit	400 84
Banking and Finance	7,000 00
Cash and Sight Exchange	105,828 08
	\$264,839 13
LIABILITIES.	
Capital Stock	\$ 60,000 00
Surplus Fund	40,000 00
Undivided Profits	2,511 22
Individual Deposits	154,407 79
Due to Banks	4,418 58
Set aside to pay tax	700 00
Dividend on 1st unpaid	672 00
'87, this day	2,400 00
	\$264,839 57
No unclaimed Deposits remaining over five years.	
Sworn to before me, this 31st day of December, 1888.	
T. W. LONG, Not. Pub. C. C.	

YELLOW SIGNS. YELLOW TUBS.
Use "Peerless Brand"
FRESH RAW OYSTERS.
Selected and packed with cleanliness and care by
G. H. PEARSON & CO.,
BALTIMORE, MD.
They are the Best. Ask Your Grocer for Them.

ESTRAY NOTICE.
Taken up by J. M. McKnight, about Dec. 12th, near Henderson, Christian county, Ky., one 1 1/2 year old bull; roan, with swallow-fork in both ears. Found by Ben Moss at Etna, Dec. 22nd.
T. H. MAJOR, J. P. C. C.

Excelsior Planing Mills AND Wagon Factory!

SEEDS.

FIELD SEEDS of all kinds, such as Clover, Blue Grass, Timothy, Orchard Grass, Northern Oats, Red Top, Rye, Stock Pans, &c.

IMPLEMENTS.

Corn Planters and Check Rowers, Corn Drills, Homer Wheel Barrow Seeders, Calhoun Seeders, Wallace Broad-cast Hand Seeders, Disc Harrows, Iron Duke Harrows, Wood Frame Harrows, and Sterling Harrows.

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We have in stock two car-loads of STEEL, CAST AND CHILLED PLOWS. Special attention is invited to the Avery, Heilman, South-Bend and Blount "True Blue" Plows. These are, without question, the leading and best plows on this market, and we give full guarantee on every plow. We keep a full line of REPAIRS of all sorts for these plows.

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We will continue to handle the celebrated brand of "HOMESTEAD" and "THOMPSON & EDWARDS" FERTILIZERS for Tobacco,

